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Applicant: Makoto OZEKI et al Conf.: 8140

Appl. No.: 09/980,620 Group: 1615

Filed: December 5, 2001 Examiner: H. SHEIKH

For: COMPOSITIONS FOR PROMOTING SLEEP

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

March 4, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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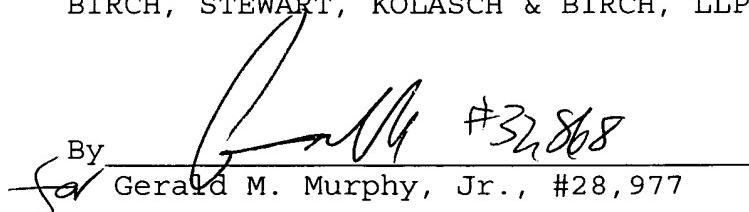
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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 5, 2002, the period for response having been extended one month, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows.

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1. (Amended) A sleep-promoting composition comprising theanine.
 2. (Amended) Food comprising the composition of claim 1.
 3. (Amended) A medicament comprising the composition of claim 1.